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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, IN
SUBJECT: INDIAN PLANS TO IMPORT COKING COAL

REF: STATE 16165

1. SAIL'S TECHNICAL DIRECTORATE IN NEW DELHI IS IN THE PROCESS OF PREPARING DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE MILLION METRIC TONS OF COKING COAL FROM ABROAD.
2. SAIL INDICATES THAT REQUIREMENT IS OF TWO TYPES:
(A) PRIME QUALITY AND(B) MEDIUM QUALIFY. ASH CONTENT TO BE BETWEEN 8 AND 10 PERCENT; VOLATILE MATTER FOR PRIME IS 20-26 PERCENT AND THAT FOR MEDICUM 26-35 PERCENT;
SULPHUR CONTENT 0.6 PERCENT FOR BOTH AND PHOSPHORUS 0.1 PERCENT.
3. TENDER DOCUMENTS ARE LIKELY TO BE RELEASED BY ABOUT END OF JANUARY EITHER BY THE HEADQUARTERS IN NEW DELHI OR BY SAIL INTERNATIONAL IN CALCUTTA, 2 FAIRLIE PLACE, 700001.
4. CALCUTTA OR NEW DELHI WILL REPORT ON TENDER SPECIFICATIONS WHEN AAIVABLE.
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